

720TH MILITARY POLICE
BATTALION



TOKYO, JAPAN

1952



BATTALION HISTORY

The 720th Military Police Battalion was officially activated at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland, on 20 January 1942. Since that date, its primary functions and stations have been as follows:

20 January 1942,-16 March 1942, training at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.

17 March 1942,-2 July 1942, Plant security in the Pittsburg and Harrisburg, Pennsylvania areas.

3 July 1942,-October 1943, in Australia, performing town patrolling and security functions.

October 1943,-December 1944, in New Guinea where elements of the battalion participated in the Papuan Campaign and carried out security functions at Port Moresby and other places.

December 1944 September 1945, in the Philippine Islands, performing Military Police duties in Manila.

September 1945 December 1952, in Tokyo, Japan, performing town patrolling, security and other functions.

During 1952, the home of the Battalion was at CAMP BURNESS, which is located at "Z" Avenue and 20th Street, by the Sumida River, in Tokyo, Japan. The camp was named after Sergeant Frederick A. Burness, a former member of Company "B," who was a casualty in a seaplane crash in April 1943, while escorting prisoners by air to Port Moresby.

The facilities at CAMP BURNESS provided an opportunity for a well balanced and orderly life. They included a Service Club, Library, Snack Bar, Hobby Shop, Post Exchange, Barber Shop, Pressing Shop, Gymnasium, Pistol Range, Officers and Enlisted Mens' Open Messes, Theater, outdoor Athletic Courts and Company Day Rooms. The entire battalion was housed in one large permanent type building, commonly known as Building 100, which provided the space for troop quarters, supply rooms, orderly rooms, class rooms, consolidated mess and battalion headquarters.

Generally, the personnel in the battalion were fairly well stabilized throughout the year and there was a relatively light turn-over of individuals during the twelve month period. High standards of moral principles were maintained in all units, with emphasis being given to the development of individual character. The high percentage of voluntary attendance at Church Services and the gentlemanly and sportsmanlike attitudes displayed in operational, athletic and other endeavors attested to the high calibre of individuals that were assigned to the organization.

With the effective date of the Japanese Peace Treaty on 28 April 1952, the status of the 720th Military Police Battalion changed from an Occupational Force in Japan to a Security Force. The transition was accomplished without any major incident and all elements of the organization readily adjusted themselves to the changed status and jurisdictional procedures.

Numerous security missions were performed by the battalion throughout the year of 1952, including Gate Guard duties at the United Nations and Far East Command Headquarters at Pershing Heights, the protection of dependent housing areas, and the safeguarding of personnel and property of the United States Security Forces, Japan, in Tokyo. The battalion played a prominent part during the departure ceremonies for General Mathew Ridgway, upon his relinquishing command as Commander in Chief, Far East Command, to General Mark Clark, in April, 1952.

Other Military Police operational functions performed by elements of the battalion during 1952 consisted of traffic control, town patrolling, security of installations, desk operations, special details for ceremonies, escorts for VIPs and operation of a detention facility. All of these functions were carried out under the operational control of the Provost Marshal, Metropolitan Tokyo Area. The operating schedule provided for the maintenance of unit integrity and for the rotation of duties by and in the companies. All activities in the battalion, including the consolidated mess, the motor vehicle maintenance shops, the communications section and the administrative and logistical agencies, gave maximum support at all times to the Military Police operational requirements.

A progressive and comprehensive training program was carried out. It started with the development of the general proficiency of individuals during the early part of the year, after which small unit training was accomplished, culminating in company-size field problems. Toward the end of the year, emphasis was given to specialized training, which included the establishment of a Military Police School and other courses of specialized instruction in the Battalion.

Participation in competitive sports and other events was encouraged to the maximum, with emphasis being given to team work, and sportsmanlike conduct. Teams from the battalion won league championships and trophies in bowling and baseball. Eleven enlisted men were members of the Headquarters and Service Command Football team, which had a very successful season and lost only one game by a small margin. Members of the pistol team won individual and group honors in various matches. Other individuals won honors in boxing and hobby craft competitions. Creditable showings also were made by teams in basketball, touch football, soft-ball and other leagues.

Inspections of the battalion during the calendar year 1952 were made by the Provost Marshal General, Major General Edwin P. Parker, by the Deputy Chief of Staff of the Far East Command, Major General Blackshear Bryan, by the successive Commanding Generals of Headquarters and Service Command, Brigadier General Edwin Piburn, Brigadier General Richard Stephens and Brigadier General Onslow Rolfe, by the Provost Marshal, Far East Command, Brigadier General Francis C. Howard, by the Provost Marshal, Metropolitan Tokyo Area, Colonel Andrew B. Padgett and by Inspectors General and other staff officers from higher headquarters. Visits to the battalion also were made by prominent officials of the Japanese Government including the Grand Master of Ceremonies, Japan Imperial Household, Mr. Yasumasa Matsudaira, the Chief of Police, Tokyo Metropolitan Police Department, Mr. Eiichi Tanaka, by the Chief of the Police Section, Japanese National Safety Corps, Mr. Tadaichi Oba, and many others.

Three hundred and sixty two or more members of the battalion earned and received individual recognition for their good conduct, efficiency and/or faithful service by the issuance of good conduct medals, "Soldier of the Month" trophies, letters of commendation, Certificates of Proficiency and Certificates of Achievement. Three Bronze Star Medals and five Commendation Medals were presented at ceremonies to members of the organization for their prior services in Korea. In addition, many letters and verbal Expressions of Appreciation were received from outsiders, including General and Flag Officers and civilians, for outstanding services rendered by individuals or groups from the battalion.

On 2 May 1952, the coat of arms for the 720th Military Police Battalion was officially approved by the Department of the Army. The description of the shield is shown as "The golden restraining hand grasping the inverted black imp, which is symbolical of a petty devil or malignant spirit, is symbolical of the restraining functions of the organization, implying the means by which undesirable factions are kept under control." The motto "Orderly Regulation" is expressive of the determination of the personnel to regulate with order, and alludes to the charges on the shield.



Lt. Col. ALVIN B. WELSCH
Commanding Officer
720th Military Police Battalion

THE



Major C. N. LEINEN
Exec. Officer



1st Lt. S. GRAW
S2 Officer



Capt. J. T. HART
S3 Officer



1st Lt. P. M. TIMMERBERG
Asst. S3

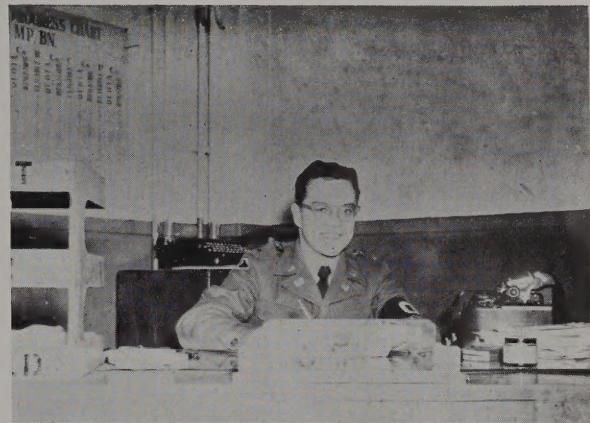
STAFF



Capt. D. R. ROBERTS
Adjutant



Capt. R. E. MILLER
S4 Officer



WOJG E. L. MYRA
Personnel Officer



Capt. R. C. HANTKE
Motor Officer

SOLDIER OF THE MONTH



Sgt. T. H. Headrick Dec. 51
"Hq." Company



Sgt. J. H. Jackson Jan.
Company "A"



Sgt. W. C. Malmquist Feb.
Company "D"



Sfc. E. Messer Jr. March
Company "D"



Cpl. J. E. Mitchell April
"Hq." Company



Sfc. J. R. Oliver May
"Hq." Company



Cpl. J. E. Nyman June
Company "B"



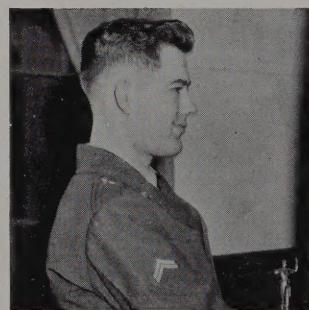
Cpl. J. R. Gabel July
"Hq." Company



Cpl. J. C. Graten Aug.
"Hq." Company



Pfc. F. E. Craker Sept.
Company "B"



Cpl. R. C. Miller Oct.
Company "C"



Cpl. L. S. Kolbasinski Nov.
Company "C"

Cpl. R. F. Kadnuc—Dec. 52 Company "A"

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY



Capt. J. P. Schrogham
Commanding Officer



1st Sgt. E. Noble JR. M/Sgt. E. E. Winterling M/Sgt. R.A. Johnson M/Sgt. S. W. Bolinski M/Sgt. T. R. Crawford



M/Sgt. R. B. Eleazer M/Sgt. J. A. Shoenberger Sfc. R. J. Cronan Sfc. D. H. Heady Sfc. D. S. Howes



Sfc. E. Kowalczyk Sfc. K. L. Mansfield Sfc. E. E. Rinard Sfc. L. Walwick Sfc. J. Stephens



Sgt. J. W. Raubeson Sgt. R. D. Richardson Sgt. P. A. Prieto Sgt. L. T. Voros Cpl. J. E. Barker



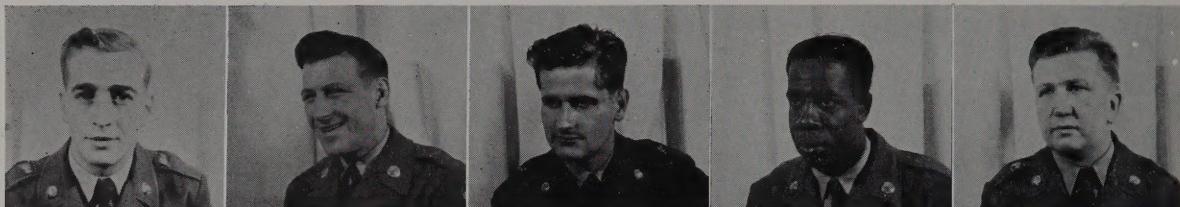
Cpl. O. S. Bell

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Cpl. W. W. Coffey

Cpl. C. W. Baker

Cpl. J. R. Gabel



Cpl. J. L. Gamble

Cpl. Huskey

Cpl. J. W. Bates

Cpl. J. T. Killebrew

Cpl. J. H. Jasinkiewicz



Cpl. D. K. Klaver

Cpl. E. Koon

Cpl. J. W. Lindsey

Cpl. H. D. Luedtke

Cpl. J. E. Mitchel



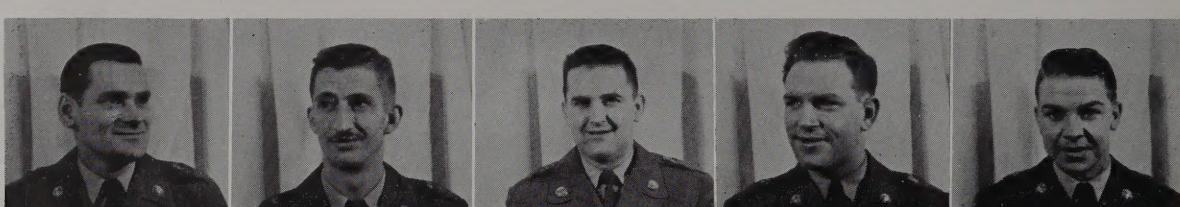
Cpl. W. L. Moseley

Cpl. E. D. O'Hara

Cpl. M. J. Ward

Cpl. W. E. Pillow

Cpl. R. Reinhardt



Cpl. F. H. Roberts

Cpl. J. D. Shofestall

Cpl. R. L. Stoker

Pfc. J. English

Cpl. C. M. Nelson



Pfc. G. J. Allen

Pfc. J. J. Alves

Pfc. D. A. Arme-

Pfc. J. C. Edgecomb

Pfc. J. L. Elliott



Pfc. L. A. Fisher

Pfc. D. G. Florcsk

Pfc. J. W. Funderburg

Pfc. J. E. Gabriel

Pfc. R. L. Harrell



Pfc. W. F. Hart

Ffc. G. E. Hatch

Pfc. L. K. Higginbotham

Pfc. H. J. Hutchinson

Pfc. J. L. James



Pfc. G. E. Koestel

Pfc. J. Konrad

Pfc. R. C. Lander

Pfc. P. M. Love

Pfc. L. F. Pawlaczek



Pfc. A Proto

Pfc. K. B. Quillan

Pfc. T. M. Reade

Pfc. W. Shean

Pfc. L. H. Slocum



Pfc. H. D. Snider

Pvt. L. Simmons

Cpl. M. E. Hartung

Pvt. H. A. Sweeney

Pvt. W. J. Keller



M/Sgt. W. R. Cullum

PMIS
ATTACHED
TO
HQ. COMPANY



M/Sgt. G. Huberth



Sfc. H. Grant

Sfc. L. Horowitz

Sfc. H. L. Simms

Sfc. L. H. West

Sfc. J. P. Willard



Sgt. H. G. Berntsen

Cpl. V.B. Lapaquette

Sgt. S. H. Helmick

Sgt. B. Lemmer

MILITARY SCH



The First class of the Battalion Military students and they started their instructions on each week until approximately three hundred end of the year.



HEADQUARTERS CO.

M/Sgt. Earnest Noble Jr.
Sgt. John W. Raubeson

COMPANY A

Cpl. Robert Moakley
Pfc. Victor Danner
Cpl. Robert F. Kadnuc
Cpl. Jack L. Chalker
Pfc. James W. Potter
Pfc. Thomas F. Snyder
Sgt. David H. Taylor
Pfc. F. W. Tierney
Cpl. William C. Wilson
Cpl. Robert Carroll
Pvt. Walter Jones

COMPANY B

Sfc. Herbert B. Battles
Pfc. Mervel L. Flanigan
Pfc. Terrell Powell



POLICE SCHOOL

The Police School was composed of twenty-two (22) men graduated from the school by the 8 September 1952. This course was repeated (300) men graduated from the school by the

STUDENTS

COMPANY C

- Pfc. Joseph Mackiewicz
- Cpl. Kenneth E. Smith
- Pfc. Leonard J. Koressel
- Cpl. Edward Dubosky
- Sfc. James T. Prevett
- Sfc. Ernest Messer Jr.
- Cpl. Dwight R. Adams
- Cpl. Lee Fisher
- Sfc. William Yakus



COMPANY D

- Cpl. Marvin L. Cook
- Cpl. Howard D. Charlton
- Sfc. Russel E. Milner
- Pfc. Joseph A. Cook
- Cpl. George A. Koen
- Sgt. Cornelius P. Long



COMPANY "A"



Capt. H. H. Holland
Commanding Officer



1st Lt. T. D. Whitlock



2nd Lt. W. H. Cunningham



M/Sgt. J. G. Quintana

M/Sgt. E. M. Kane

Sfc. T. V. Jenkins

Sfc. W. T. Koufas

Sfc. C. C. Poling



Sfc. M. Takashiba

Sfc. D. Bennett

Sfc. D. W. Mace

Sgt. C. F. Baumberger

Sgt. E. S. Castillo



Sgt. G. A. Collins

Sgt. P. H. Gregory

Sgt. R. F. Hall Jr.

Sgt. J. G. Jackson

Sgt. L. Karpowsky



Sgt. E. E. Pierce



Sgt. B. L. Rohlman



Sgt. G. K. Smith



Sgt. D. H. Taylor



Sgt. A. C. White



Sgt. W. E. Clayton



Sgt. J. A. Albert



Sgt. T. T. Avery



Cpl. J. M. Bryant



Cpl. W. C. Wilson



Cpl. J. L. Burch



Cpl. W. Carroll



Cpl. J. L. Chalker



Cpl. F. Croce



Cpl. C. T. Cummings



Cpl. J. F. D'Amore



Cpl. C. C. Drall



Cpl. H. L. Drew



Cpl. R. A. Eggers



Cpl. A. Adkins



Cpl. G. D. Allen



Cpl. E. J. Borzoni



Cpl. H. Tijerina



Cpl. M. R. Giesser



Cpl. J. E. Flannery



Cpl. A. F. Gonzales



Cpl. A. P. Grana



Cpl. H. E. Hall



Cpl. W. E. Hawkins



Cpl. I. C. Heitkamp



Cpl. D. C. Johnson



Cpl. C. J. Jones



Cpl. R. F. Kadunc



Cpl. W. C. Loveridge



Cpl. R. E. Lynch



Cpl. E. M. Martin

Cpl. J. R. Matthew

Cpl. C. D. Mattson

Cpl. M. E. Miller

Cpl. R. F. Moakley



Cpl. M. D. Moore

Cpl. J. A. Paris

Cpl. G. W. Raut

Cpl. R. L. Robertson

Cpl. L. W. Smith



Cpl. M. R. Stirman

Cpl. H. G. Sugden

Cpl. R. Wisniewski

Cpl. L. T. Tillotta

Cpl. J. M. Tolle



Cpl. W. R. Turner

Pfc. B. S. Watts

Pfc. E. W. Emick

Pfc. R. E. Baker

Pfc. D. J. Ballou



Pfc. W. J. Bowar

Pfc. B. C. Brown

Pfc. T. J. Buchanan

Pfc. W. D. Bushong

Pfc. K. Chappell



Pfc. S. A. Clifford

Pfc. J. W. Cockrell

Pfc. P. J. Cook

Pfc. G. J. Cotter

Pfc. B. L. Crawford



Pfc. D. Cristle

Pfc. D. L. Dales

Pfc. V. H. Danner

Pfc. W. R. Dimmitt

Pfc. G. A. Fenzke



Pfc. G. F. Fredette



Pfc. W. P. Harris



Pfc. R. Hicks



Pfc. R. L. Keller



Pfc. A. D. Klein



Pfc. R. C. Knoefel



Pfc. R. W. Lattimer



Pfc. J. A. Madigan



Pfc. G. T. McLarney



Pfc. B. B. Oakman



Cpl. E. L. Moyher



Cpl. H. Williams



Pfc. C. J. Rembert



Pfc. R. M. Satchell



Pfc. J. L. Scott



Pfc. G. Schmidt



Pfc. J. E. Severance



Pfc. D. Smith



Pfc. T. F. Snyder



Pfc. E. M. Staylor



Pfc. F. Tierney



Pfc. H. E. Toftte



Pfc. M. N. Undlin



Pfc. R. D. Waner



Pvt. D. L. Thurm



Pvt. D. C. Bassett



Pvt. A. B. Biddle



Pct. R. N. Bledsoe



Pfc. E. E. Perks



Pvt. H. W. Koehler



Pvt. W. A. Schumacher



Pfc. W. L. Trautmann



Pfc. M. J. Manto



Pfc. C. P. Agnew



Pfc. G. I. Beadle

PASS IN



REVIEW



COMPANY "B"



Capt. Wm. J. Morrisroe
Commanding Officer



1st Lt. B. E. Carr



1st Lt. A. De Vries



M/Sgt. E. Aune

M/Sgt. W. V. Kalinowski

M/Sgt. J. O. Groulx

Sfc. B. E. Brooks

Sfc. A. C. Brychel



Sfc. R. G. Danley

Sfc. S. R. Huffman

Sfc. O. L. Meville

Sfc. E. L. McColian

Sfc. R. W. Squibb



Sgt. C. R. Bailey

Sgt. A. G. Buentello

Sgt. J. E. Case

Sgt. J. M. Garvey

Sgt. H. R. Golden



Sgt. R. W. Hoalt



Sgt. T. C. Mason



Sgt. C. Murgado



Sgt. J. P. Roberts



Sgt. D. J. Seifer



Sgt. W. E. Tucker



Sgt. J. G. Delisle



Cpl. K. L. Ashley



Cpl. F. E. Barnitz



Cpl. R. C. Bellman



Cpl. H. R. Benner



Cpl. B. Caviness



Cpl. W. R. Celmer



Cpl. T. Croft



Cpl. P. L. Crum



Cpl. A. F. Drake



Cpl. W. C. Eaton



Cpl. W. J. Evans



Cpl. A. J. Gilles



Cpl. C. W. Ghan



Cpl. C. L. Godfrey



Cpl. C. S. Gordon



Cpl. E. K. Hallmark



Cpl. V. Harambasic



Cpl. J. Jackson



Cpl. M. O. Jackson



Cpl. H. K. Johnson



Cpl. R. W. Keller



Cpl. E. J. Kelley



Cpl. I. J. Killian



Cpl. E. Knoppow



Cpl. R. L. Landry



Cpl. E. P. Lemke



Cpl. H. E. Lenz



Cpl. M. R. McInnis



Cpl. J. D. McKay



Cpl. M. R. Manske



Cpl. W. Mayes



Cpl. J. E. Nyman



Cpl. G. D. Phillips



Cpl. C. O. Pleasant



Cpl. J. Reeves



Cpl. J. A. Saltz



Cpl. R. S. Sanders



Cpl. R. L. Searcey



Cpl. D. D. Sopoci



Cpl. L. E. Tanner



Cpl. G. R. Thompson



Cpl. A. Valles



Cpl. A. Waters



Cpl. J. A. Wilson



Pfc. M. D. Atkins



Pfc. A. H. Brown



Pfc. R. G. Bonifay



Pfc. P. J. Buffa



Pfc. G. P. Clark



Pfc. J. R. Coates



Pfc. M. A. Cooper



Pfc. J. C. Craig



Pfc. F. E. Craker



Pfc. H. L. Curling



Pco. J. Danilak



Pfc. C. F. Dierberg



Pfc. P. E. Doss



Pfc. E. E. Erecgovic



Pfc. L. Ferguson



Pfc. T. Flanagan



Ptc. F. Gulczynski



Pfc. B. J. Hamm



Pfc. W. C. Haney



Pfc. C. E. Harbison



Pfc. R. H. Holmberg



Pfc. J. J. Hinz



Pfc. M. Kadloc



Pfc. M. Kanamaru



Pfc. J. R. Kline



Pfc. W. T. Kluting



Pfc. H. H. Laufenberg



Pfc. H. E. Litzta



Pfc. W. T. McCannon



Pfc. T. R. McCarver



Pfc. W. P. McLoughlan



Pfc. J. T. Molk



Ptc. J. L. Peterson



Ptc. E. E. Pitsinger



Pfc. R. S. Posk



Pfc. T. E. Powell



Pfc. D. R. Reed



Pfc. H. F. Roberts



Pvt. F. T. Schipke



Pfc. G. A. Stephens



Pfc. C. B. Sutterfield



Pfc. T. L. Swan



Ptc. M. E. Sweeney



Pfc. D. E. Ward



Pfc. D. G. Wateski



Pfc. H. D. Westlund



Pfc. C. White



Pfc. H. G. Whitney



Pfc. J. J. Williamson



Pfc. C. A. Witt



Pfc. G. L. Wolfe



Pfc. A. J. Wolfe



Pfc. B. Womack



Ptc. D. S. Workman



Pvt. S. M. Jackwak



Pvt. D. C. Johnson



Pvt. S. E. Kaloper



Pvt. C. P. Knight



Pvt. E. V. Mitchell



Pvt. D. E. Stokes



Ptc. G. A. Boroski



HELPING OTHERS



COMPANY "C"



Capt. F. V. Perrine
Commanding Officer



1st Lt. D. L. Erickson



1st Lt. J. R. Bresnahan



2nd Lt. B. G. Cox



M/Sgt. O. Duke



M/Sgt. W. C. Reeves



Sfc. I. L. Baker



Sfc. E. L. Deitz



Sfc. E. Messer Jr.



Sfc. J. T. Prevett



Sfc. J. L. Trueblood



Sfc. W. P. Tisdell



Sgt. M. D. Cox



Sgt. C. W. Fisher Jr.



Sgt. A. J. Green



Sgt. J. J. Holbert



Sgt. W. L. Henderson



Sgs. R. L. Ladue



Sgt. M. W. McClure



Sgt. S. A. Mistretta



Sgt. R. Y. MUndy



Sgt. C. H. Patton



Sgt. T. Shane



Sgt. B. W. Smith



Sgt. J. W. Wood



Cpl. D. R. Adams



Cpl. V. H. Baker



Cpl. J. Battle



Cpl. L. G. Beuthien



Cpl. E. J. Bivens



Cpl. R. C. Blankenship



Cpl. J. H. Brooks



Cpl. H. A. Cahoon



Cpl. W. R. Ciehoski



Cpl. F. S. Crain



Cpl. T. D. Curtis



Cpl. C. Doan



Cpl. K. L. Douglas



Cpl. E. E. Farr



Cpl. J. E. FitzpatrickR



Cpl. H. H. Fowler



Cpl. C. H. Fugate



Cpl. S. F. Gelsthorpe



Cpl. J. M. Jones



Cpl. R. A. Knuth ,



Cpl. L. S. Kolasineki .



Cpl. J. M. McDonnell



Cpl. R. I. McGill



Cpl. R. C. Miller



Cpl. C. D. Moore



Cpl. T. E. Nelson



Cpl. L. J. Osborne



Cpl. L. M. Palmateer



Cpl. M. C. Peahl



Cpl. J. R. Perigo



Cpl. W. L. Pickard



Cpl. C. Prospero



Cpl. J. R. Robarge



Cpl. A. Rudkin



Cpl. W. L. Seariac



Cpl. K. E. Smith



Cpl. A. Solum



Cpl. G. F. Stevens



Cpl. R. L. Stewart



Cpl. A. R. Farris



Cpl. J. A. Dubovsky



Pfc. W. E. Ashby



Pfc. K. G. Backstrom



Pfc. R. E. Craft



Pfc. H. K. Essmann



Ptc. I. Fair



Pfc. P. F. Fedor



Pfc. S. D. Fitz



Pfc. M. D. Flanagan



Pfc. L. E. Frazier



Pfc. C. E. Funk



Pfc. D. V. Gage



Pfc. W. J. Gallagher



Pfc. J. J. Garay



Pfc. P. J. Garvin



Pfc. J. D. George



Pfc. M. M. Greenwood



Pfc. C. R. Hetz



Pfc. D. E. Hoard



Pfc. G. E. Hibner



Pfc. J. C. Holt



Ptc. R. R. Horton



Pfc. J. V. Hunt



Pfc. G. Jones Jr.



Pfc. W. Q. Jweid Pfc. M. E. Koci Pfc. L. J. Koressel Pfc. P. A. Langenfeld Pfc. C. L. Lima
Pfc. W. K. Long Pfc. C. J. MacDonell Pfc. J. P. Mackiewicz Pfc. V. V. Masterson Pfc. E. J. McCabe



Pfc. R. S. McClain Pfc. P. W. McCoy Pfc. R. F. Meyer Pfc. E. L. Milks Pfc. M. M. Mills
Pfc. B. L. Nedler Pfc. W. F. Nelson Pfc. P. H. Osborne Pfc. A. Pavlik Pfc. R. J. Paschenko



Pfc. L. G. Promo Pfc. J. W. Rhoads Pfc. C. W. Sherry Pfc. A. R. Smith Pfc. R. A. Spitzer
Pfc. D. A. Spitzer Pfc. D. M. Stinchcomb Pfc. T. L. Stemo Pfc. C. J. St. Pierre Pfc. J. M. Heffelfinger



Pfc. F. C. Ulick Pfc. J. J. White Pfc. N. N. White Pvt. K. King Jr. Pvt. K. F. Kurz



Pvt. J. Roden



Sgt. W. E. Blackburn



Cpl. K. R. Martin



Sgt. C. W. Evitt



Cpl. C. F. Condon



INSPECTIONS

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COMPANY "D"



Capt. M. F. Jaeger
Commanding Officer



1st Lt. R. D. Wentz



1st Lt. E. W. Kulo



M/Sgt. L. J. Leindecker



M/Sgt. R. L. Pitts



M/Sgt. C. E. Rogers



Sfc. M. A. Badayos



Sfc. U. A. Fath



Sfc. B. B. McCole



Sfc. R. E. Milner



Sfc. T. R. Pennell



Sgt. E. L. Adkins



Sgt. K. T. Blood



Sgt. J. H. Hill



Sgt. J. A. Kinney



Sgt. H. Kurapkat



Sgt. C. P. Long



Sgt. R. A. Marden



Sgt. B. E. McNamee



Sgt. H. Payne



Sgt. W. W. Reece



Sgt. J. E. Wilson



Sgt. E. D. Wingler



Cpl. B. A. Albanese



Cpl. C. Blake



Cpl. J. O. Castle



Cpl. H. D. Charlton



Cpl. M. L. Cook



Cpl. D. F. Dieneman



Cpl. E. P. Dimarco



Cpl. R. D. Ealey



Cpl. C. E. Foster



Cpl. A. Green



Cpl. G. F. Griffey



Cpl. R. L. Grogan



Cpl. G. E. Hartman



Cpl. W. E. Hewitt



Cpl. J. C. Hill



Cpl. E. E. Irwin



Cpl. V. A. Jones



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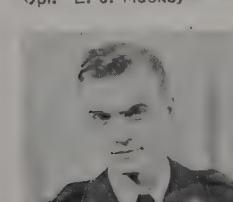
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Pfc. J. Middleton



Pfc. G. Mitchell



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Pfc. J. T. Priest



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Pfc. F. Rossi



Pfc. L. J. Santilli



Pfc. H. Shiller



Pfc. F. Schubert



Pfc. C. R. Shaw



Pfc. R. W. Snowden



Pfc. C. W. Sowers



Pfc. L. W. Taus



Pfc. C. Wainscott



Pfc. R. J. Warren



Pfc. J. P. Wilkins



Pfc. W. E. Wilson



Pfc. R. Wojtczak



Pvt. J. E. Kinsella



Pvt. J. W. Moore



Pvt. J. V. Pittman



Pvt. E. L. Millot



Cpl. D. Logan

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IN DECEMBER 1952



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1st Lt. R. V. Van Brunt



1st Lt. R. D. Baumfalk



1st Lt. M. W. Sweat



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 Cpl. Fleming Lynch Jr.
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 Cpl. George A. Daughton
 Cpl. Robert C. Trofimuk
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 Pfc. Charles D. Digilio
 Pfc. Harry I. Powell
 Pfc. Howard F. Smith
 Pfc. Leroy P. Vickers
 Pvt. Earle C. Buchanan
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 Pfc. Harold E. Grimes
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 Pfc. Joe G. Balusek
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 Pfc. Cress M. LeJeune
 Pfc. Don M. Olsen
 Pfc. Anthony A. Pellegrine
 Cpl. Kenneth M. Carlson
 Cpl. Dorris N. Hame
 Cpl. Joseph E. Fowler
 Cpl. Paul Dicks
 Cpl. Anthony D. Maule
 Pfc. John Drauck
 Pvt. Wilfred A. Miller
 Cpl. Peter P. Eisner

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 Cpl. James M. Calnon
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 Cpl. Harry L. Smith
 Cpl. Dewey Whaley
 Cpl. Elwood Ziegenfuss
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 Pvt. Roger L. Wancha
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 Cpl. James L. Stinson
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 Cpl. William C. Wolz
 Cpl. Harold D. Riley
 Cpl. Paul E. Panneton
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 Pfc. Charles P. Carmon
 Pfc. Arthur Lampel

Pvt. Allen L. Miller
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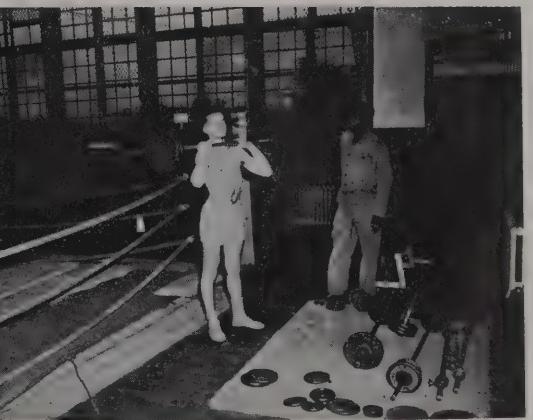
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IN ACTION





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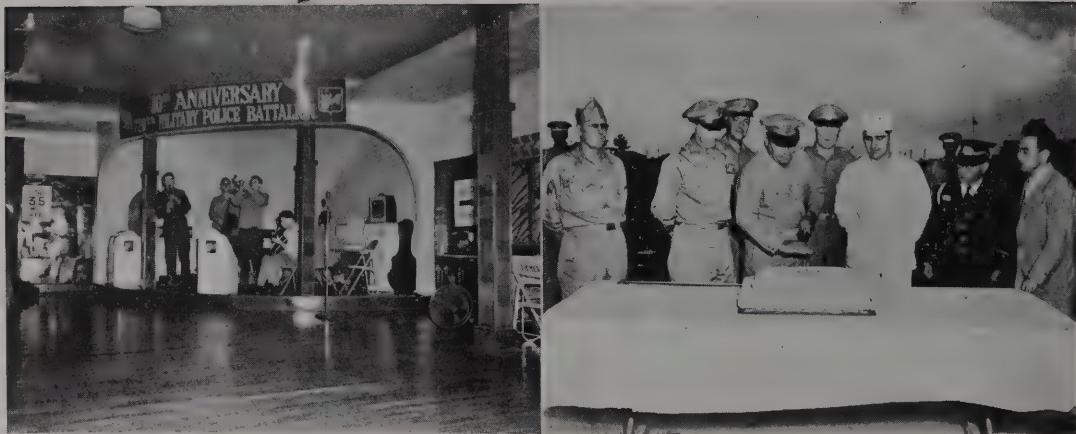
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AT PLAY ★ ★ ★ ★





MPRANKS

JJ JACKSON

THINK YOU'D BETTER KEEP THAT DR. PFC...
HER HUSBAND IS SECOND LIEUTENANT!!!

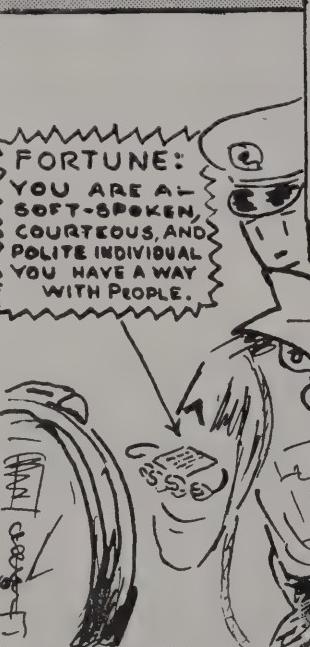


OH YEA, ALMOST FORGOT THAT ONE...
WHERE DYA PARK IT!



NOW TAKE THAT GUY... IF I DIDN'T KNOW
ANY BETTER, I'D SAY HE WAS A STATUE

720TH MILITARY POLICE



FORTUNE:
YOU ARE A SOFT-SPOKEN,
COURTEOUS, AND
POLITE INDIVIDUAL.
YOU HAVE A WAY
WITH PEOPLE.



THINK HE
MISUNDERSTOOD
WHEN I SAID HE
WOULD BRING
DOWN THE FLAG



DEPARTING PERSONNEL



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Cpl. E. D. Owens

Cpl. R. L. Styles

Cpl. C. Blake

Cpl. W. E. Eaton

Cpl. C. O. Pleasant

Pfc. G. A. Boroski

Pfc. J. M. Heffelfinger

FORMAL GUARD MOUNT



CHRISTMAS



CHARACTER AND SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE



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Chaplain Harmon D. Moore



Chaplain Thomas F. Quinn



Rabbi Mayer Frenkel





This booklet presents a pictorial review of some of the high light activities of the 720th Military Police Battalion during the year 1952. It is published by and for the members of the battalion with the thought in mind that in the years to come, it will serve as a pleasant reminder of their service in the organization and of the associations they had therein.

Throughout the year of 1952, the personnel assigned to the 720th Military Police Battalion upheld the fine traditions and examples set by their predecessors. Without fail, all assigned missions and tasks were accomplished with dispatch. The manner in which the accomplishments were attained warrants just cause for a feeling of pride on the part of every individual who assisted in the endeavors.

It is with a deep sense of gratefulness that I dedicate this booklet to the individuals who, by demonstrated loyalty, diligence, devotion to duty and hard work, contributed to another successful year for the battalion.

ALVIN B. WELSCH
Lt. Col. MPC
Commanding

